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Gas Tax



Fund Description

The Gas Tax Fund is revenue resulting from tax on the sale of gasoline. The current total tax on fuel is 18 cents per gallon. The City's share of gas tax revenue is based on a formula that takes into account vehicle registration, assessed valuation, and population. The funding generated is used to perform citywide repairs and restoration to existing roadways, reduce congestion, improve safety, and provide for the construction of assets within the public right-of-way.

The Gas Tax funds the maintenance of street lighting, traffic signals, traffic signs, and marking including the City's share of the Gaslamp Quarter Lighting and the San Diego Street Lighting District Number One. The Gas Tax also funds street maintenance, median landscaping, tree-trimming, and waste removal in the street right-of-way.

For Fiscal Year 2014, gas tax revenues have been allocated to four departments and divisions: Transportation & Storm Water, Park & Recreation, Economic Development, and City Comptroller. The revenue is primarily allocated to the Transportation & Storm Water Department for reimbursement of street maintenance services and traffic engineering. The Maintenance Assessment Districts (MADs) provide landscape maintenance for center medians and right-of-way within residential and commercial areas. The Park & Recreation Department is reimbursed for costs predominantly related to residential and some commercial MADs. The Park & Recreation Department is also reimbursed for administrative oversight of the MADs and the Street Median Maintenance Program. The Economic Development Division predominantly manages the commercial MAD allocation, although it can include some mixed-use MADs. In addition, the City Comptroller Department is reimbursed for costs related to administrative oversight of the Fund and for project financial reporting.



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Department Summary

	FY2012 Actual	FY2013 Budget	FY2014 Adopted	FY	2013–2014 Change
FTE Positions (Budgeted)	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00
Personnel Expenditures	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-
Non-Personnel Expenditures	20,512,146	20,920,006	20,738,091		(181,915)
Total Department Expenditures	\$ 20,512,146	\$ 20,920,006	\$ 20,738,091	\$	(181,915)
Total Department Revenue	\$ 22,299,613	\$ 20,920,006	\$ 20,738,091	\$	(181,915)

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Department Expenditures

	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY2013-2014
	Actual	Budget	Adopted	Change
Gas Tax	\$ 20,512,146	\$ 20,920,006	\$ 20,738,091	\$ (181,915)
Total	\$ 20,512,146	\$ 20,920,006	\$ 20,738,091	\$ (181,915)

Significant Budget Adjustments

	FTE	Expenditures	Revenue
Adjustment to Gas Tax Allocations Adjustment to Gas Tax revenue and department transfers for Fiscal Year 2014 due to State of California Gas Tax projections. Departments that are primarily affected by the revenue adjustment are Transportation & Storm Water and Park & Recreation.	0.00	\$ (181,915)	\$ (181,915)
Total	0.00	\$ (181,915)	\$ (181,915)

Expenditures by Category

	FY2012	FY2013	FY2014	FY	2013–2014
	Actual	Budget	Adopted		Change
NON-PERSONNEL					
Contracts	\$ 4,874,602	\$ 4,928,928	\$ 4,928,928	\$	-
Energy and Utilities	2,514	-	-		-
Other	1,004	-	-		-
Transfers Out	15,634,026	15,991,078	15,809,163		(181,915)
NON-PERSONNEL SUBTOTAL	\$ 20,512,146	\$ 20,920,006	\$ 20,738,091	\$	(181,915)
Total	\$ 20,512,146	\$ 20,920,006	\$ 20,738,091	\$	(181,915)

Revenues by Category

	FY2012 Actual	FY2013 Budget	FY2014 Adopted	FY2013-2014 Change
Other Local Taxes	\$ 20,234,352	\$ 20,671,486	\$ 20,489,571	\$ (181,915)
Other Revenue	1,818,324	-	-	-
Rev from Money and Prop	246,938	248,520	248,520	-
Total	\$ 22,299,613	\$ 20,920,006	\$ 20,738,091	\$ (181,915)

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Revenue and Expense Statement (Non-General Fund)

Gas Tax Fund		FY2012 Actual		FY2013 [*] Budget		FY2014 Adopted
BEGINNING BALANCE AND RESERVES						
Balance from Prior Year	\$	11,889,624	\$	1,928,774	\$	1,646,467
Continuing Appropriation - CIP		_		11,791,583		2,721,307
TOTAL BALANCE AND RESERVES	\$	11,889,624	\$	13,720,357	\$	4,367,774
REVENUE						
Gas Tax - Section 2105	\$	6,326,820	\$	6,651,677	\$	6,493,113
Gas Tax - Section 2106		4,544,794		4,453,732		4,309,267
Gas Tax - Section 2107		9,342,738		9,546,077		9,667,191
Gas Tax - Section 2107.5		20,000		20,000		20,000
Interest Earnings		115,896		100,000		100,000
Lease Revenue - Gas Tax		41,841		28,450		28,450
Other Land/Building Leases		87,805		120,070		120,070
Miscellaneous		1,819,719		_		_
TOTAL REVENUE	\$	22,299,613	\$	20,920,006	\$	20,738,091
TOTAL BALANCE, RESERVES, AND REVENUE	\$	34,189,237	\$	34,640,363	\$	25,105,865
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (CIP) EXPENSE						
CIP Expenditures	\$	8,533	\$	_	\$	_
TOTAL CIP EXPENSE	\$	8,533	\$	_	\$	_
OPERATING EXPENSE						
Administration - Comptroller	\$	40,694	\$	95,000	\$	95,000
Economic Development - MADs	•	12,478	•	46,933	•	24,961
Park & Recreation - MADs		1,279,795		1,268,498		1,081,957
Park & Recreation - Street Median Maintenance Program		437,212		774,382		774,382
•		14,341,753		14,675,647		14,702,245
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Transportation & Storm Water - Street Division Transportation & Storm Water - Transp. Eng. Operations Division		4,400,214		4,059,546		1,000,010
Transportation & Storm Water - Transp. Eng. Operations Division	\$		\$	4,059,546 20,920,006	\$	20,738,091
Transportation & Storm Water - Transp. Eng. Operations	\$	4,400,214	•			
Transportation & Storm Water - Transp. Eng. Operations Division TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE TOTAL EXPENSE		4,400,214 20,512,146	•	20,920,006		20,738,091
Transportation & Storm Water - Transp. Eng. Operations Division TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE		4,400,214 20,512,146	•	20,920,006		20,738,091
Transportation & Storm Water - Transp. Eng. Operations Division TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE TOTAL EXPENSE RESERVES	\$	4,400,214 20,512,146 20,520,679	\$	20,920,006	\$	20,738,091
Transportation & Storm Water - Transp. Eng. Operations Division TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE TOTAL EXPENSE RESERVES Continuing Appropriation - CIP	\$	4,400,214 20,512,146 20,520,679 11,791,467	\$	20,920,006 20,920,006 11,791,583	\$	20,738,091 20,738,091 2,721,307

^{*}At the time of publication, audited financial statements for Fiscal Year 2013 were not available. Therefore, the Fiscal Year 2013 column reflects final budget amounts from the Fiscal Year 2013 Adopted Budget. As such, current fiscal year balances and reserves are estimates of carryover from the previous fiscal year.